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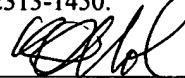
PATENT

Docket No. 55025-45276

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this February 25, 2004 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number EL 991956901 US addressed to: Box Patent Application, Assistant Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Ravetz, Megan; Williams, Graham; Nelson, Andrew; Blunt, Roy Trevor; Williams, Howard

For : An Improved Apparatus for the Delivery of Precursors in the Vapour Phase to a Plurality of Epitaxial Receptors

Enclosed are:

1. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application (35 USC 120)

X The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of a prior U.S. application and enclosed is added page for new application transmittal where benefit of a prior U.S. application claimed.

2. The Papers Required For Filing Under 37 CFR 1.53:

9 3 Pages of Specification
1 Pages of Abstract
4 Pages of Claims
2 Sheets of Drawing

X formal informal

In addition to the above papers there is also attached:

3 Pages of an Amendment
X Return Receipt Postcard
X Information Disclosure Statement with 13 copies of references.

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3. Declaration or oath

X Enclosed 4 pages

X Newly executed (original or copy)

 Copy from a prior application (continuation/divisional with page 5 of 5 completed)

 Deletion of Inventor(s) (signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) of prior application)

 Not enclosed

4. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application are:

X the same

OR

— are not the same and an explanation, including the ownership of the various claims at the time the last claimed invention was made, is submitted.

5. Language

X English _____ Non-English

A verified English translation of the

[check applicable item(s)]

specification and claims

declaration

is attached.

6. Assignment

X Assignments of the invention to Epichem Limited and to IQE plc

X are filed under separate cover sheet

— was filed in the prior application

— will follow

7. Certified Copy

(Country)

(Application No.)

(Filed)

from which priority is claimed

is attached

will follow

8. Fee Calculation**CLAIMS AS FILED**

	Number Filed	Provided with Basic Fee	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee \$770
Total Claims	10	20	0	X \$18.00	\$.00
Independent Claims	1	3	0	X \$84.00	\$.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any	0	0	0	X \$280.00	\$.00

Amendment canceling extra claims enclosed
 Amendment deleting multiple dependencies enclosed
 Fee for extra claims is not being paid at this time

Filing Fee Calculation \$ 770.00

9. Small Entity Statement

verified statement that this is a filing by a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is attached.

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above) \$ _____

10. Fee Payment Being Made At This Time

Enclosed
 basic filing fee \$ 770.00
Total fees enclosed \$ 770.00

11. Method of Payment of Fees

check in the amount of \$ 770.00

12. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Account No. 20-0823. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed for this purpose.

13. Instructions As To Overpayment

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**ADDED PAGE FOR NEW APPLICATION WHERE BENEFIT
OF A PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION CLAIMED**

15. Benefits of Prior U.S. Application

This application is a

- continuation
- continuation-in-part
- divisional

of prior U.S. application Serial No. 10/149092 filed June 6, 2002, which is the US National Phase of PCT Application PCTGB00/02559 filed July 3, 2000

- Incorporation by Reference

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under item 3., is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

16. Maintenance of Copendency of Prior Application

- A petition, fee and response has been filed to extend the term in the pending prior application until

17. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time in Parent Application

- A conditional petition for extension of time is being filed in the pending parent application.

18. Relate Back – 35 U.S.C. 120

- Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This is a

- continuation
- continuation-in-part
- divisional
- provisional

of copending application

- Serial number 10/149,092; filed on June 6, 2002
- PCT International Application ; filed on

19. Abandonment of Prior Application (if applicable)

- Please abandon the prior application at a time while the prior application is pending or when the petition for extension of time in that application is granted and when this application is granted a filing date so as to make this application copending with said prior application.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER
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55025-45276In Re Application Of:
Ravetz, et al

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Title: **AN IMPROVED APPARATUS FOR THE DELIVERY OF PRECURSORS IN THE VAPOUR PHASE TO A PLURALITY OF EPITAXIAL RECEPTEORS**TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

Transmitted herewith is:

New Patent Application Transmittal
 PCT Application
 Preliminary Amendment
 Declaration
 Assignment Recordation Form
 Assignment to Epichem Limited
 Assignment Recordation Form
 Assignment to IQE plc
 Power of Attorney from Epichem Limited
 Power of Attorney from IQE plc
 IDS Transmittal Form
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 IDS References (15)

in the above identified application.

No additional fee is required.
 A check in the amount of \$850.00 is attached.
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 20-0823 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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Dated: February 25, 2004

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